

## REVENUE CUTTER IS RAMMED BY SCHOONER

Collision Follows the Grounding of  
the Onondaga in Lower  
Chesapeake Bay.

### STORY OF BATTLE AGAINST STORM

Crew of the Sarah W. Lawrence Stuck  
by Vessel After All Four Mast Were  
Gone, and Were Holding Their Own  
When Cutter Came to the Rescue.  
Now at Norfolk.

While towing the dismantled schooner  
Sarah W. Lawrence into Hampton  
Roads from sea late Tuesday night,  
the United States revenue cutter  
Onondaga went aground in the lower  
Chesapeake bay near the Thimble  
Shoal lighthouse and was rammed by  
the big schooner before the crew of  
that vessel could get the anchor over-  
board. The Onondaga's hull, aft  
house and deck fixtures were badly  
damaged, but the schooner escaped  
serious damage.

After the accident the schooner an-  
chored and was towed to Norfolk  
yesterday morning by a tug. The  
revenue cutter was floated without as-  
sistance and proceeded to Nor-  
folk. The cutter may be brought  
here for repairs.

**The Skipper's Story.**  
Captain Moore, the skipper of the  
Lawrence, tells a thrilling story of the  
experience of his vessel during the  
gales that swept the Atlantic coast  
was overboard and this added to the  
his week. The schooner was bound  
from Providence for Newport News  
to load a cargo of coal and she en-  
countered the first gale last Thursday  
evening off Fenwick Island. The  
violent winds tore the sails to shreds  
and the big vessel was tossed about  
by mountainous seas. The plunging  
of the vessel caused the masts to  
break off one by one and before Sat-  
urday all four of the craft's masts  
were gone. The rigging was piled on  
the vessel's deck in an almost in-  
extinguishable heap, and owing to the rough  
weather the crew was unable to clear  
it away. Some of the rooms and  
stair and also some of the rigging  
was overboard and this added to the  
troubles of the schooner.

**Crew Stuck to Ship.**  
In spite of everything the schooner  
rode through the storm, the skipper  
and crew sticking to her to the finish.  
The vessel was spoken by the Clyde  
Tug Apache, from Jacksonville for  
New York, Saturday afternoon and  
that night the Apache communicated  
with the revenue cutter Onondaga and  
asked that craft to go to the assist-  
ance of the Lawrence. The cutter  
reached the dismantled schooner Sun-  
day, but owing to the high seas she  
was unable to get a line to her. Both  
vessels fared badly in the storm Sun-  
day night, but Monday the cutter finally  
succeeded in getting the schooner  
in tow and starting to Hampton Roads  
with her.

**Cutter Goes Aground.**  
Soon after the vessels passed in the  
Virginia Capes the collision occurred.  
The cutter was making good speed  
with her tow when she suddenly  
struck a mud bank and the moving  
schooner quickly bore down upon and  
struck her. Captain Moore, who was  
in this city yesterday morning, said  
that he deeply regretted the accident  
to the cutter, which had so kindly  
stood by him through the rough  
weather and brought him safely to a  
haven.

The skipper of the Lawrence has  
recommended to the vessel's owners  
that she be towed back to Bath, Me.,  
where she was built 22 years ago,  
for the necessary repairs. The vessel  
will have to receive new masts,  
booms, topmasts, sails and rigging.  
The repairs cannot be made in this  
section because of the lack of timber  
of which to make the spars.

**A Surprise Party.**  
A surprise party was given to Miss  
Myrtle Phillips at her home on Ches-  
nut avenue Tuesday night. The  
guests were: Misses Frances and  
Ruth Olderslove, Alice Whitney,  
Edith Huffman, Mary Williams, Louise  
Green, Jennie Meiss and Lena Sutton;  
Messrs. John D. Williams, Harold Wil-  
son, Sam Cottrill, S. Spicer Carter,  
Routledge Griffin, William and Frank  
Bartlett.

**Suit Against Postal.**  
Suit for \$100, statutory dama-  
ges, was filed against the Postal Tele-  
graph Company yesterday by Dr. J.  
K. Goss for his niece, Miss Helen  
Leyland. Delay in the delivery of  
a telegram is alleged. Attorneys  
Jones and Scott are counsel for the  
plaintiff.

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### Social-Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Gaunt-  
lett are visiting friends in New York  
city.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Weaver have  
returned from a trip to Richmond,  
Gloucester county and Baltimore.

Miss Lillian Whitmore has return-  
ed to her home in Dendron, after a  
visit to Mrs. Juliet Cox in East End.

Messrs. H. H. Richardson and R.  
D. Holloway have returned from a  
successful hunting trip to York coun-  
ty.

Miss Katherine Garvey has return-  
ed to her home near Scottsville, af-  
ter a visit to the Messrs. Garvey in  
this city.

Miss Helen Berry of Washington,  
is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Grace Thomas has gone to  
Charlottesville to spend a month with  
friends.

Mr. C. E. Harr of Brooklyn, N. Y.,  
is spending a few days in this city  
with Mr. Jesse B. Brown.

#### Back From Richmond.

Judge T. J. Barham and Messrs. C.  
Aylett Ashby and C. R. Fellows, of  
the executive committee of the local  
branch of the National Child Labor  
Committee, and Mr. J. P. Farley, pre-  
sident of the Central Labor Union,  
returned to the city from Richmond  
yesterday morning. Tuesday night  
the delegation appeared before the  
House labor committee to advocate  
the passage of the new child labor  
bill. The committee will take up the  
matter again Friday, at which time  
Newport News will be represented  
again. Senator and Mr. Barrett  
attended the meeting Tuesday night.

#### NEW HEPTOSOPH BODY.

Warwick Conclave Instituted by Mr.  
Crewit.

Mr. J. W. Crewit, of Baltimore, su-  
preme organizer of the I. O. Hepta-  
soph, instituted the new Warwick  
Conclave at Petzold's hall in East  
End last night.

The new Conclave, which was or-  
ganized by Mr. J. J. McPerson, has a  
charter membership of 62, and 29  
members were initiated last night.

#### Third Negro Jailed.

Police Officers Padgett and Parish  
yesterday arrested Tom Spady, the  
third negro wanted in connection with  
the robbery of Mr. Fred Barrett. Only  
one of the four men who are alleged  
to have committed the robbery is now  
at large.

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## NEW YORK OUT FOR GOVERNOR HUGHES

County Republican Committee En-  
dorses His Candidacy for  
Presidential Nomination.

### ACTION TAKEN WAS UNANIMOUS.

Letter Which Secretary Taft Wrote  
to Congressman Parsons Was  
Largely Responsible for Action  
Taken—Means That Hughes Will  
Have Solid Delegation at Chicago.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Governor  
Charles E. Hughes was strongly en-  
dorsed for the presidency and the ad-  
ministration of President Roosevelt  
was commended in a resolution unan-  
imously adopted by the Republican  
County Committee at a meeting at  
the Murray Hill Lyceum tonight. The  
resolution further favored an in-  
structed delegation to the Chicago  
convention from this state for Gov-  
ernor Hughes.

The committee under the resolu-  
tion, pledges itself to do all in its  
power to have Congressional conven-  
tions and the state convention adopt  
resolutions instructing for Governor  
Hughes.

The endorsement of Governor  
Hughes for the presidency had come  
up for consideration at two previous  
meetings of the county committee  
and each time resolutions to that ef-  
fect were tabled after warm debate.

The action of the committee on  
these occasions were provocative of  
much feeling among committeemen  
and Secretary of War Taft recently  
wrote Congressman Parsons, chair-  
man of the committee, that he did  
not desire his friends to divide his  
interest in any state which had a  
candidate of its own.

A meeting of the executive com-  
mittee of the Republican county com-  
mittee was held late today at which  
Congressman Parsons appointed a  
committee to draft a resolution as a  
substitute to the resolution twice of-  
fered by Senator Mack at previous  
meetings; merely endorsing Govern-  
or Hughes for President.

When Congressman Parsons called  
the meeting together, shortly after  
9 o'clock tonight, Assemblyman New-  
comb was recognized, and offered the  
substitute resolution prepared by the  
committee appointed by the execu-  
tive committee.

The speeches that followed the in-  
troduction of the resolution showed  
a unanimous feeling for the endorse-  
ment of Governor Hughes, but indi-  
cated that there were traces of re-  
signment over the action of the pre-  
vious meeting in tabling the Hughes  
resolution.

### MASS MEETING FOR MEN AT THE ACADEMY SUNDAY

Rev. J. J. Porter Will Deliver Ad-  
dress on "The Devil and Tom  
Walker."

A mass meeting for men only will  
be held at the Academy of Music at  
3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon under  
the auspices of the Young Men's  
Christian Association. Rev. J. J.  
Porter, D. D., of St. Louis, who is  
conducting evangelistic services at  
the Newport News Baptist church, will  
address the meeting on the subject  
"The Devil and Tom Walker." This  
is said to be one of the evangelist's  
strongest sermons for men. He will  
be assisted in the services by Rev.  
J. W. Porter, D. D.

Music will be furnished by the  
Hampton Roads Glee Club, and this  
is expected to prove one of the most  
interesting features of the service.  
Mrs. S. P. Marston will also con-  
tribute to the musical program. The  
song service will begin at 3:15  
o'clock.

### GROOM WAS IN TERRIBLE HURRY TO GET MARRIED

Young Elkins Could Not Wait for Wed-  
ding Day—Is Married at Friend's  
Home.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 29.—Blaine  
Elkins, son of Senator Stephen B.  
Elkins, of West Virginia, and a grand-  
son of Senator Henry G. Davis, Demo-  
cratic candidate for Vice President in  
the last national election, was mar-  
ried here last night to Miss Mary  
Kenna, of Charleston, W. Va. The  
bride is the daughter of John Kenna,  
a West Virginia coal operator.

The engagement of young Elkins  
and Miss Kenna had been announced  
and plans were made to have the wed-  
ding celebrated next month in the  
home of the bride's parents, but be-  
cause of the illness of her mother this  
arrangement had to be changed. A  
few days ago the bride-to-be came to  
this city to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wheel-  
er living in Mt. Auburn. Yesterday  
Elkins arrived, and the couple decid-  
ed to have the ceremony quietly per-  
formed last evening in the Wheeler  
residence. The groom is twenty-six  
years of age and the bride three years  
his junior.

## HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES' CLAS DAY CELEBRATION

Entertaining Program Arranged by  
Students for the Event—Com-  
mencement Exercises.

The High school graduating class  
of "February, 1938" will hold its Clas-  
s Day celebration in the assembly hall  
of the High school building at 8  
o'clock tonight. The public has been  
invited to attend the exercises and it  
is expected that the hall will be taxed  
to its capacity.

An unusually interesting and attrac-  
tive program has been arranged and  
the indications are that the entertain-  
ment will be one of the most enjoy-  
able of its kind in the history of the  
school. Every member of the gradu-  
ating class will take part in the pro-  
gram, the exercises being opened with  
an address of welcome by the class  
president, Mr. Phillip Murray. The  
second part of the program will be a  
burlesque on the commencement ex-  
ercises as held at the High school at  
Dummesville.

The semiannual examinations in  
the city schools closed yesterday and  
today the promotions will be announ-  
ced. Tomorrow the enrollment for  
the second half of this term will be  
made at the various schools.

Tomorrow night the semiannual com-  
mencement exercises will be held at  
the Academy of Music.

### THEATRICAL

McIntyre and Heath, of blackface  
comedy fame, will be at the Academy  
of Music tonight in their greatest  
success, "The Ham Tree," which has  
been given an elaborate production  
by Klaw & Erlanger. About this pro-  
duction the Philadelphia Evening  
Bulletin, on January 7, said:

"Those popular blackface comedi-  
ans, McIntyre & Heath, met with an  
enthusiastic welcome at the Walnut  
Street Theater last night. 'The Ham  
Tree,' which has two years' success  
to its credit, and which is merely an  
elaborated vaudeville act, serving to  
introduce several specialties and a  
well trained and lively chorus, seems  
to answer as well as ever for the  
exploitation of the talents of these  
fun makers."

The advance sale for this attraction  
has been large, and the management  
requests that all patrons having seats  
laid away, will call for them at the  
box office before 7 o'clock. Unless  
this is done the management re-  
serves the right to put these tickets  
back on sale.

## LITTLETON SUMS UP FOR HARRY K. THAW

(Continued from First Page)

mind beyond a reasonable doubt."

Mr. Littleton told the story of  
Thaw's life.

He traced the life of Harry Thaw  
from childhood, bringing out the fact  
of his absent mindedness.  
**Relatives Had Diseased Minds.**  
"It has been shown that Josiah  
Conley, his uncle, and Miss Hirsch,  
an aunt on the maternal side, had  
been afflicted by a terrible disease of  
the mind," he continued, "it is rea-  
sonable to suppose that if his un-  
cles and aunts were of unusual minds,  
in all probability this trait was pass-  
ed to the defendant. Thank God,  
in these days we have come to look  
on an infirmity with compassion. We  
have the right to suppose that if  
this trait existed in the brother of  
the defendant's mother, the defend-  
ant himself was also affected."

**Doomed Before Birth.**  
"We have proved another fact in this  
case. It was that prior to the de-  
fendant's birth the mother, ill, awoke  
one night, and stretching out her  
hand, found another child cold in  
death. This shock was sent shiver-  
ing and trembling down into the sys-  
tem of the boy—this defendant, Har-  
ry K. Thaw. These are not specu-  
lations. They are the fundamental  
rules of the organic life of the world.  
This is the opening of the secrets

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